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Brief Summary of Selected Substantive Portions of this Response

[0001] In a telephone discussion (on January 24, 2008), the Examiner indicated that claims 8-17 were allowable due to the incorporation of allowable subject matter of claim 15 and that further search may be required for the remaining claims which incorporated the same allowable subject matter.



[0002] This brief summary is not intended to represent the Applicant's full response to the Action. Rather, it is merely a brief summary of selected substantive portions of the response herein.

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